## U.S. IN DEFAULT TO RUSSIA, SAYS ROOT

America Made Many Promises Which Have Not Been Backed by Deeds.

COULD STAMP OUT REDS

While Other Countries Build Firm Trade Foundations We Alone Stand Idle.

The American people are in default to ship shall be real and not false. If the people of America show the sincerity of in the opinion of Eithu Root. chairman of the mission sent to that their professions, be certain the Govern-country by President Wilson. Assur-men of America will answer, and when ances of friendship have been empty except for the language used in making
Lromises, he contends. The views of the
former Secretary of State on the persiexing Russian question were voiced
ha an address at a private dinner of the
American-Russian Chamber of Comwill exercise the power to help the poor American-Russian Chamber of Com-tucres in this city December 29, at which to reporters were present. At the seand reporters were present. At the request of members of the organization, and trying to save their country in RusMr. Root consented to having his remarks made public.

After denouncing the "horrid group of
suithbouts and assussins" now in control
in Russia, Mr. Root declared they could.

Russia, Mr. Root declared they could in Russia, Mr. Root declared they could be fought most effectively by supplying the "self-ascrificing men who are now trying to save their country" with muni-tions of war, shoes and clothing and

woney to pay their troops.

"There are three or four things I would like to say," Mr. Root said. "One is that we are in default as to Russia; the American people is in default. We have given assurances of friendship. We have made promises, we have used the have given assurances of friendamp.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Will there be a laye made promises, we have used the strongest words in the English language. I don't know whether there are any sprung auddenly at the proper moment, stronger words in Russian. But if there are and we had known them we probably would have used them because we have indicated that there was no limit to not at a time which admittedly favors a Republican for president? Gossip lave indicated that there was no limit to allow the proper moment.

There is a "dark horse" at the Republican convenient of the proper moment, will enable him to capture the nominative are any would have used them because we have indicated that there was no limit to gress Hotel stopped long enough to-day show toward Russia, and we have shown to consider such a possibility: then show toward Russis, and we have shown to consider such a possibility; then no friendship toward Russia except in managers and enthusiasis in both the rds. Wood and Lowden camps chorused emphatically "No."

#### Must Back Up Words.

"It appears that if there is to be any The papears that it there is to be any action to make good our assurance to in the 1920 convention than there is for Russia the American people must get the abolition of the national Sahara." behind the words that have been spoken Harold F. McCormick, president of the Russia the American people must get belind the words that have been spoken in their behalf and call for action. This is how we got into the war. We did not get in until the people of the United States were waked up to the imminent States were waked up to the imminent occasion for action, and with their mighty driving power put our country finto action themselves. Let us do something now if we can to be ready when

thing now if we can to be ready when the next opportunity comes.

"The next thing I wish to say is that now is the time to lay the foundations, to take the first steps to establish the relations necessary for the friendly and useful intercourse of trade between the United States and Russia. One form of activity which carries no condescension on one side nor humiliation on the other, which is beneficial to both parties, is

"Now is the time for us to put our-selves on a footing with Russia which in the days to come, when the skiss have cleared and order is reestablished, will make the Russian people and the American people copartners in the exchange of products which will benefit both.

Other nations are doing it. The many others. We alone, with all our Lockwood of Kings county for State enterprise, with all our initiative, with Comptroller this year. This is another all the habits and the traditions and the way of expressing his opposition to capacity for affirmative and vigorous and Comptroller Eugene M. Travis for the

Russia is the place for Americans to fight and destroy Bolshevism. We are fiddling around here with a few Bolshevik agents, and we pick up a dozen or a hundred and make a great outcry in the newspapers about deporting them, a few among the thousands; and the men who have gained control of old Russia by the use of German money, by the use of mercenary troops, by the extensive of a tyranny and terrorism and cruelty never surpassed in history ercise of a tyranny and terrorism and cruelty never surpassed in history his New York city office vesterday, found those men are using the resources of that great, rich country to pour out a steady stream of propagandists, who laugh at Gubernatorial nomination, which was

### Must Go to Source.

"We are like the physician who attempts to heal a mortal disease by a poultice upon the surface, instead of cutting to the seat of the infection and curetting the wound. The way to destroy Bolshevism is to put the strength and heartiness and courage and hope of prosperity into the people of Russia, who are ready themselves to destroy Bolshov-ism if they can but have the means to support life and to hold themselves together, and to secure supplies and am.
nunition and to pay their troops and to
furnish them with shoes and clothes, and
to make head against that horrid group
of cuttireats and assassins and tyrants

Mrs. B. M. Crosby, associate national who are now oppressing them. That is the way to fight Bolshevism, at its centre, at its source, the source of its supplies and the source of its strength. And we sit idle, doing nothing.

That is committeeman, will be the chairman Harriet May Mills was elected first vice-chairman of the committee of one thousand; Mary Morse of Buffalo, second vice-chairman, and Mrs. Martin H. Giynn

we sit idle, doing nothing.

"I have lost no faith in the future of Russia. It is but a short time, less than three years, since the Czar was dethroned. We made our Declaration of Independence in 1775, and amid turmoil and confusion and dissension we reached. and confusion and dissension we reached



The city will continue its fight to keep the Brooklyn buses running and will also try to restrain the Midland Rail-way Company in Richmond from carry-There's bound to be sound slumber and refreshment on a



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25 West 45th St., New York City took place in crowded traffic, and no arrests were made. Mrs. Brown lived in 51 Orchard street.

# than four times the period that has ciapsed in Russia; and we had the advantage of great and then unprecedented experience in the art of government, for we had been building up self-government for a century and a half, when our American Revolution came. "Long before the expiration of the periods in which any of the nation now at the forefront of popular self-go rement achieve settled conditions as a

before that period has clapsed I look to see Russian work out her own ques-

tions: work them out as she is work-ing them out now, through bloodshed and suffering and travail, to the con-summation of a strong and competent democratic republic. And where will

America be then?
"The men in production and in trade

can do something now without waiting; the American people can make ready now for effective assistance upon the next opportunity that comes, and we can do it by bringing to bear upon the

Government of our country the clear knowledge and assurance of the wish

of the American people that our friend-

DAWES IS GROOMED

to Be Sprung.

Special Despatch to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17 .- Will there be

Currency under President Taft showed that he was made of Presidential tim-

and commerce are without number. Just

CALDER OUT FOR LOCKWOOD.

WOMEN DEMOCRATS ORGANIZE.

Committee of One Thousand to

Run State Campaign.

Women Democrats met yesterday

the Waldorf-Astoria and voted that

committee of one thousand, with an ex-ecutive committee of 200 should be

Hays Reaches Los Angeles. Los Anumes, Jan. 17.-Will E. Hays. hairman of the Republican National Committee, was greeted here to-day by

thirty-three Republican leaders of South ern California and immediately went into

CITY'S BUSES STILL TO RUN.

ing out its threat to suspend service at

midnight to-night. George P. Nicholson, Assistant Cor-

poration Counsel, said yesterday that the city authorities have power under

the home rule charter to operate or per-mit others to operate bus lines over the city streets. It was said that an order is to be requested from the courfs re-quiring the Midland Railway Company

to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed to conduct its business.

Woman Killed in Truck Crash.

the driver of an automobile truck, was thrown out and killed vesterday when

the machine ran into another truck at Hester and Suffolk streets. Both driv-

ers said they had applied brakes in an attempt to avert the accident, which

Mrs. Minnie Brown, 32, riding with

rporation Counsel Says Power Is Granted by Charter,

inference with them.

keep an eye on Dawes, that's all."

his friends in the world of finance

sure Comfort for Delegates to San Francisco.

CUMMINGS IS CAUTIOUS MULDOON DOES LIKEWISE

Declines to Discuss Candidates Stands Head and Shulders -Defends League of Nations Covenant.

Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the

man said, to circulate propaganda to being back into the Democratic fold the took the 3 o'clock train for Providence. Irish and others who have been alienated because of the stand taken on the League of Nations by President Wilson. seague of Nations by President Wilson, was stated by his managers that These statements were made at the decision had been reached on the per Nacional Democratic Club, in Fifth ave-

n San Francisco on June 28. Mr. Cum-nings declared that neither Presiden-AS G.O.P. DARK HORSE tial possibilities nor the names of pos-sible selections for temporary chairman of the convention were discussed.

This committee decided to handle the Pershing's Right Hand Man

notel reservations in the convention city what is to be known as the Wood nain connection with the local committee to the end that the members of the National Committee, delegates and headquarters about either the dinner others whose business requires their at-

the rooms of its members and of asso-ciate committees. It is hoped that a rate as low as \$110 for the round trip, including Pullman accommodations, may se obtained from the railroads.

#### Mum on Candidates.

George F. Mars of Bridgeport, as the "Many opportunities have come and have been allowed to pass. Many situations have arisen in Russia where, if the American people had made good one tenth of what they declared they were ready to do, the skies would be bright in Russia to-day. They have been allowed to pass without action.

"Many opportunities have come and phatically "No."

The Grand Old Party has the winner of Chairman commings, will start for San Francisco within a few days, where he will work with Charles W. Fay. Postmaster of that half dozen who are mentioned occasion-city, who heads the local committee. ally. The fights narrowed down in Chicago to the logical four. Lowden is sure captured to pass without action. to win, or Wood, or Harding, according to which camp you are visiting. "There's less chance for a dark horse sub-committees appointed at the meetng here yesterday.

It was stated that the committee on

arrangements would work through the sub-committees appointed yesterday until June 1, when it would meet in San Francisco, and hold daily sessions until the opening of the convention. After the meeting Chairman Cummings efused to be drawn into any discussion

n the subject. Asked if certain Democratic leaders, fident and adviser at the front. His real who were supposed to have been inter-worth abroad never will be known. He ested in the subject, had been able to was the biggest American in France discover the political predelictions of during the war period. He did things Herbert C. Hoover, Mr. Cummings re

and said nothing.
"Dawes is the dark horse of the 1929 "Is that a conundrum? I come from Republican National Convention, He New England and I answer a question might not be known by the rank and file, by asking another one." but his record as Comptroller of the

### No "Group" Work

An attempt to draw him out as to the itentions of William Jennings Bryan as equally fruitiess.

Replying to the question as to whether any attempt would be made to bring back the Irish and others who had left be party Chairman Cummings replied "This committee will do no group Pactions in Kings Politics Are work so long as I am chairman. On his return from Washington last night United States Senator William M. College returning his manufacture is for College returning the College returning his manufacture is for College returning his manufacture is for College returning his manufacture in the College returning his manufacture is for College returning his manufacture is for College returning his manufacture in the College returning his manufacture is for College returning his manufacture in the College returning his manufacture is for the Colleg Calder reiterated his advocacy of the immediate ratification of the peace nomination of State Senator Charles C.

Roplying to other questions the chair-

"I am of the opinion that the moprogressive action, built up in the course of the last century, during which we have made this great country what it is —with all that we alone hang back.

"The third thing I want to say is, that Russia is the place for Americans to ..." I shall support Service I construct the control of the support of the most of those who have opposed our stand on the treaty never were with us. The League of Nations is the only vehicle through which small nations can gain their independence. Those who are opposed for the coverage of th "I shall support Senator Lockwood's candidacy for Comptroller," said Senator Calder, "for I know from my acquaintance with him that he is fully competent to perform the distance of the competence. Those who are op-

ompetent to perform the duties of that Democrats from New York and adjoining States here on February 5, when dinner will be held at the Commodore in honor of Chalrman Cummings.

At the time steps will be taken to call an unofficial Democratic State con-vention here to recommend to the voters in the primary a ticket for delegates at large to the national convention and he petition asking him to run for the

signed by nineteen of the twenty-three district leaders in Kings county. It is understood that he will announce his candidate formulation to Chairman Cummings the members of the committee on arrangements present yesterday were J. Bruce Kremer of Montana, Edward G candidacy formally in his reply later in Hoffman, Indiana; Clark Howell, Georgia; Norman E. Mack, New York; Fred ga; Norman D. Mack, New York; Fred B. Lynch, Minnesota; Charles Boeschen-stein and Mrs. George Bass, Illinois; Dr. John W. Coughlin, Massachusetts; Isidore B. Dockweiler and Miss Mary Foy, California; John T. Barnett, Colo-rado; Patrick H. Quinn, Rhode Island, and Robert H. Elder of Idaho. The chairmen of the sub-committees paned vesteries, are: Hotel and enter-

named yesterday are: Hotel and enter-tainment, Mr. Dockweller; transporta-tion, Mr. Boeschenstein; hall and seat-ing, Mr. Mack; tickets and badges Chairman Cummings; press, Mr. Howil; personnel, Mr. Cummings.

Seized as Clothing Profiteer.

## PRESIDENT HIBBEN FAVORS GEN. WOOD

Committees Appointed to In- Princeton Head Sends Letter of Indorsement to Candidate's Manager.

Above Others, Says Noted Physical Trainer.

Letters favoring Major-Gen. Leonard Democratic National Committee, said Wood as the Republican candidate for yesterday that within a short time he President from John Grier Hibben, head would issue a statement in reply to the of Princeton University, and William charges that his committee has made Muldoon, the well known proprietor of use of the facilities of certain war work organizations in its campaign for funds.

No attempt would be made, the chair-

where he was to speak in the evening. After Gen. Wood had left the city it sonnel of the candidate's committee nue, where Chairman Cummings met this State, but that it would not be with the subcommittee on arrangements public for another fortnight, or until it or the national convention to be held was possible to give out the composition of the pational organization. been stated that there is a State chalr-man of the Wood league in thirty States, this official a political manager will

No information was given at the Wood tendance may be sure of adequate accommodations.

day night or the luncheon for him yesterday. It is understood, however, that the personnel of the Wood committee

Col. William C. Proctor, the gen-eralisimo of the Wood movement, left for Cincinnati in the afternoon. He will be in Chicago this week. This is what President Hibben wrote to Col. Proctor:

"I have just received your letter in re-gard to Gen. Wood's candidacy for the and am very glad to repeat it in this letter that I very heartly am in favor of Gen. Wood for the Republican nomi-nation for the Presidency. I am sure that he will make a very strong candi-

"Leonard Wood is the man I decided upon for President, and Robert Bacon for his Secretary of State," wrote Mr. shoulders above all others in qualifica-tion for the position. It is the solemn duty of every patriotic, loyal cirizen to direct his best energy to make him President, Politics, personalities and judices of all kinds must be

Among the Democrats who have given sturances that they want to do all in eir power to make Gen. Leonard Wood resident is Gordon Gordon, of roadway. Mayor John T. Cahill awrence, Mass., has also come out for

### JOHNSON PLANNING FIGHTS IN 3 STATES

Asks Primary Dates in Ohio, Nebraska and Michigan.

LINCOLN, Neb. Jan. 17 .- Initial steps Christia States Senator Hiram W.

ohnson of a telegram asking for the final date on which a candidate may quality for the primary and inquiring as to what requirements are necessary for the filing of petitions to place a candi fate's name on the ballot.

Mrs. Amsberry replied, giving March 24 as the last day for filing petitions, which must have the signatures of 100 voters in each Congress district. The primaries, both Republican and Demo

Columbus, Chio, Jan. 17.-Senate Hiram W. Johnson (Cal.) indicated tolay that he may contest with Senate Varren G. Harding (Ohio) for Ohio's support for the Republican Presidential commation. In a telegram to Secretary

of State Smith to-day he said;
"What is final date for candidates to
qualify in the Presidential primary election in your State? Please outling what requirements, such as filing petitions, must be fulfilled by candidates in order o get place on Presidential primary

Smith answered that all that is neces-sary is to tile declaration of candidacy himself or through an authorized agent efore midnight February 27.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 17.—Information s to the procedure to be followed in olacing his name on the Michigan Presi-lential preference primary ballot was equested by Senator Hiram Johnson (Call) in a telegram to Secretary of telegram to Secretary of State Vaughn to-day.

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Spring season in fine new Cotton Dress Fabrics. Embroidered Dotted Swiss from St. Gall

A lovely assortment of White and colored dots on self and contrasting colored grounds....Yard \$1.68
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Towels

med, dozen .... \$5.00

Glass Towels

\$7.50

Name woven in each,

Kitchen Towels, hem-

Odd lot, Linen Damask, with-

Table Cloths 2 x 21/2 yards

72x72 inches, reduced to

\$9.50 Napkins to match, dozen ..... \$10.50

Table Cloths Odd lot, Linen Damask, size Napkins

Table Cloths

2 x 3 yards

\$11.50

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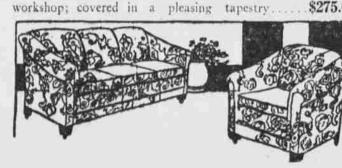
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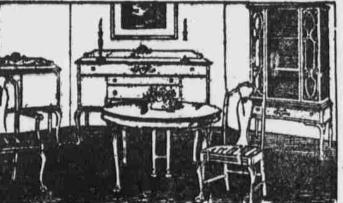
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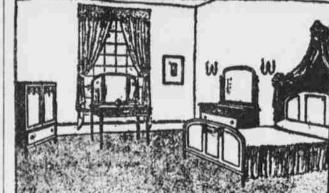




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